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HARD HAIL STORM.

The Farmers' Alliance Scheme.

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Destructive Hail Storm.

ST. PAUL, July 23.—A very severe hail storm at Hickey, McPherson county, South Dakota, last night, destroyed thousands of acres of grain. A destructive hail storm also passed through Norman county, Minn., covering a strip two miles wide and thirty miles long.

ABERDEEN (S. D.), July 23.—Reports are coming in of a destructive hail storm which passed about 25 miles north of here Tuesday. The track of the storm extends from Homer, 40 miles west of Frederick, eastward over 100 miles, and is from one to four miles wide. In some localities great damage has been done. Hail stones of immense size fell near Westport, some measuring fourteen inches in circumference. Many farmers lost their entire crop, 50 to 100 acres each.

Ramie Culture Litigation.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—The case of W. H. Murry, State Superintendent of Ramie Culture, vs. E. P. Colgan, State Controller, mandamus to compel the payment of salary for the said Superintendent, it is announced, will be called in the Supreme Court here to-morrow. W. H. Layson, Deputy to Attorney-General Hart, will assist Robert Ash, Attorney for Murry, in the appeal to the Supreme Court. The case is one of interest as affecting the constitutionality of the Act passed by the last Legislature, providing for the encouragement of ramie culture.

Striking Coal Miners.

KNOXVILLE, July 23.—Everything is quiet at Briceville and Coal Creek. The miners are holding a meeting at Coal Creek. It is believed that they will consent to the return of the convict and await the action of the special session of the Legislature on the convict lease system. The militia remain at Knoxville. The Governor will confer with the miners again this evening.

The killing of a convict named Harris, by one of the guards this morning, caused great excitement and an outbreak at the mines is feared.

France Fools Chili.

LONDON, July 23.—It is stated here that the Chilean cruiser, Presidente Pinto, as she was about to leave France, received intimation that she must immediately land all of the men on board of her who were French subjects. Commander Balmaceda's war vessel is said to be trying to engage Italians to replace the French men who were sent ashore.

Sheep Shearing Strike.

SYDNEY (N. S. W.), July 23.—In a debate in the House of Parliament yesterday on the sheep shearing strike, Dibbs, the opposition leader, moved to vote a want of confidence in the government. The motion was defeated by 83 to 57 votes.

Land Office Decision.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Acting Secretary Chandler affirmed the decision of the Commissioner General of the land office in the case of Henry Chalmers, vs. the Willamette Valley and Cascade Mountain Wagon Road company of Oregon.

Recommended For Promotion.

CAPE MAY (N. J.), July 23.—Lieutenant Commander Henry E. Nichols of the Mare Island Navy Yard has been recommended for promotion, and the President has approved the recommendation.

Sports Depart.

ST. PAUL, July 23.—Crowds of disappointed sports, who came to witness the Hall-Fitzsimmons fight, are leaving for their homes. The money paid for seats is being refunded.

The Farmers' Alliance.

ST. PAUL, July 23.—St. Paul has been made the headquarters for the National movement by the United States Farmers Alliance to corner the entire wheat crop of the country. At No. 317 Wabash street for several days a large force of employees have been engaged in sending out circulars with a view of having all classes of farmers keep back their wheat crop until prices have advanced to a high point. The plan is to unite farmers in a gigantic wheat trust, in which the producers shall be the stockholders and by which speculators and wheat buyers shall be squeezed to the wall. George M. Muller, editor of the State and a prominent Alliance man, is at the head of the movement.

The wheat crop of the United States of 1891 is estimated at five hundred million bushels. The promoters of farmers' trust believe that four-fifths of this can be held back by farmers from four to eight weeks, by which time it is thought that prices will have gone skyward. Circulars have already been sent to the secretaries of the Alliances of all wheat-growing States.

Fruit Sales.

CHICAGO, July 23.—The Earl Fruit Company sold to-day Bartlett pears at \$1.55@1.20; German prunes, \$1.60@1.75; Tassan cling peaches, \$2; St. John peaches, \$1.75@1.90.

The Porter Brothers Company sold to-day Tuscan cling peaches at \$2.10; Foster peaches, \$1.60; St. John peaches, \$1.50@1.85; Early Crawford peaches, \$2; Tragedy pears, \$2.50; Purple Duane plums, \$1.50; Bartlett pears, \$2.10; German prunes, \$1.55@1.70; Hales early peaches, \$1.10@1.20; McKevitt's early peaches, \$1.60; half crates of Fontainbleu grapes, \$1.35@1.45; Salsuma plums, \$4.50.

NEW YORK, July 23.—The Porter Brothers Company sold Early Crawford peaches at \$2.10@2.85; Purple Duane plums, \$1.25@1.60; Washington plums, \$1.85; German prunes, \$1.50@1.75; Bartlett pears, \$2.00@2.15; half crates of Fontainbleu grapes, \$1.10.

League Convention in Ireland.

DUBLIN, July 23.—The League Convention opened to-day with a large attendance. Parnell, who was the presiding officer, was warmly cheered. Referring to Balfour's promise as outlined, of the local government bill for Ireland, Parnell said he would join Timothy Healy in making it as comprehensive as possible. The convention adopted the program which included manhood suffrage, land-law reform and the re-instatement of evicted tenants.

H. T. W. S. T. E. S.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 23.—The General Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch Masons this morning elected Joseph P. Harner of New Orleans as General Grand High Priest.

Cable Car Accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—A Meyer was knocked down by a cable car on California street to-day and his skull was fractured. His condition is critical.

An Immense Purchase.

DETROIT, July 23.—The entire Detroit-street railway system, 80 miles in length, has been purchased by a New York syndicate for \$5,000,000.

Fatal Sunstroke.

SONOMA (Cal.), July 23.—Samuel Wyman died near Columbia to-day from the effects of a sunstroke. He was a native of Maine, aged 64 years.

Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—Wheat, buyer 91, after August 1st, \$1.58 1/2; season, \$1.63.

Fine Grain.

L. S. Greenlaw, who has just returned from Mason Valley, says he went into an 80 acre barley field of Angus McCloud's and found it averaged fully four feet in height and as thick as the hairs on a dog, with heads of grain from five to six inches in length. The barley was grown, too, without irrigation. Mr. McCloud has 110 acres sown to wheat that has been irrigated once, that stands five feet high and every head is well filled out with grain. Mr. Greenlaw attempted to walk through it, but had to back out, it was so thick and high.

Pete Dalton has a field of wheat at his farm on the Virginia road that is fully as good as the Mason Valley crop.

The First National Bank.

Attention is called to the official statement of the First National Bank published to-day. They record nearly \$600,000 worth of transactions for the quarter ending July 9th. The bank's undivided profit and surplus fund amounts to over \$115,000. Their deposits amount to \$250,811.94 and that fact alone is all that is necessary to say to show the confidence the people have in it.

STRIKING TAILORS.

Harvest in Brazil and Guatemala.

FURIOUS FOREIGN FLOODS.

Mysterious Illness of John I. Blair.

Pillaging Pigtails—Boddlers Squealing.

California's "Forty Thieves."

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—In the Faylor case this morning Attorney Clinie asked for a week's postponement in order to give him time to look up Richard Chute and Henry Wangeheim, who were wanted as witnesses, but could not be found. S. T. Gage, who had been summoned, was also not present, and his counsel stated that he had told Gage to pay no attention to the subpoena, as it had not been properly served. The court thereupon stated the warrant would hold good.

Attorney Clinie said he also desired to have the State Librarian and his assistant in attendance, as he wished to show by them that the Finance Committee of the combine met in the State Library every day.

Attorney Campbell objected to a continuance, and the court finally adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon to enable the plaintiff if possible to bring his witnesses into court.

When the court reconvened this afternoon it was announced that the Sheriff had been unable to find the missing witnesses, so the court resumed with C. D. Haven, an insurance man, on the stand.

The Sailor Case.

SAN DIEGO, July 23. At the preliminary examination this morning of the prisoners charged with committing an assault on some sailors, the bail was fixed by Justice Sloan. The bail for Breedlove was fixed at \$12,000, for Wilson at \$6,000, for Coates at \$600 and for Guerrie at \$200. It is probable that all the prisoners will be able to give bonds. The examination really concluded last evening when four of the prisoners were bound over to the Superior Court. Webb and Giffespin, whose connection with the tragedy as shown by the evidence, have warrants out against them, but cannot be found. District Attorney Jones stated this morning he would request Governor Markham to offer a reward for Webb.

Hobbed a Chinaman.

SONOMA (Cal.), July 23.—On the 11th instant Ed Neeley, son of the lively stable keeper at Copperopolis, assaulted a Chinaman near Moffitt's bridge on the Tuolumne river, this county, and after robbing him, proceeded to beat him with a revolver and inflicted injuries believed to be fatal. Neeley was arrested at Farmington, San Joaquin county, and brought back to the Chinese camp to-day to stand trial.

Excellent Harvest.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The bureau of the American Republic received information from Guatemala that the coffee harvest for 1890 will reach seven hundred thousand quintals, representing sixteen million dollars. The Brazilians harvested nine million bags this year as compared with four million two hundred thousand a year ago.

Blair of Jersey Ill.

KANSAS CITY, July 23.—John I. Blair of New Jersey is lying quite ill in this city. He has been stopping at the Coates House for the past week. No one except his physicians is allowed to visit his room. His ailment is unknown.

A later dispatch says Blair is better to-day and is attending to business.

Did They Fight?

CHICAGO, July 23.—A private dispatch received here this morning from St. Paul said that Hall and Fitzsimmons fought this morning at White Bear Lake and that Hall won in seven rounds. The Associated Press reporter with the party telegraphs there is no truth in the story and that they have not left St. Paul yet.

Striking Tailors.

LONDON, July 23.—The Master Tailors' Association decided to rescind the general lookout in Great Britain unless the strike at Liverpool ceases within a week.

To-day's Races.

LONDON, July 23.—The race for the Liverpool cup of one mile and three furlongs was won by Rathbeal, St. Benedict second, Barnaby third.

SARATOGA, July 23.—The racing season at Horse Haven opened to-day under the most auspicious circumstances. The weather was fine, the attendance large and betting lively. The first race was an introductory scramble. For the purse of \$600, five furlongs, La Tosca was first, Bolero second, Penny Royal third. Time, 1:02; betting on La Tosca, 1 to 6; Bolero was out of it.

Five furlongs—Eon won, Judge Morrow second, Text third. Time, 1:58.

Five furlongs—Vallera won, Hoodlum second, Silver King third. Time, 2:40.

Four furlongs—Forling won, Promenade second, Tom Tough third. Time, 49 1/2.

Seven furlongs—Calicum won, Saunders second, Snowball third. Time, 1:30 1/2.

JEROME PARK, July 23.—Clear weather, track fast.

Handicap—Mile and a sixteenth—May won, Long Duane second, Kingmaker third. Time, 1:53.

Nine furlongs—Kilder won, Nellie Bly second, Beckon third. Time, 1:40.

Five furlongs—Sirocco won, Daisy second, Patrocles third. Time, 1:02 1/2.

Handicap, six furlongs—Silver Prince won, Mr. Lass second, Gretchen third. Time, 1:18 1/2.

Jerome Park handicap—Six furlongs—Fremont won, Actlojam second, Hapenny third. Time, 1:19.

Harvest handicap—Mile and a quarter—Demuth won, Raceland second, West Chester third. Time, 2:11 1/2.

BRIGHTON BEACH, July 23.—Weather cloudy; track fast.

Six and one-half furlongs—Minnie won, Jane second, Clark third. Time, 1:23.

Seven furlongs—Flavia won, Monterey second, Vagabond third. Time, 1:29.

Five furlongs—Dr. Bill won, Queen Dor second, Willie B. third. Time, 1:04.

One mile—A dead heat was run between Tanner and Rover, Rambler third. Time, 1:43 1/2. The race will be run off.

Five furlongs—Airshaft won, Count second, Vocalite third. Time, 1:02 1/2.

Mile—Tanner won, Rover second. Time, 1:45.

Mile and a sixteenth—Tulla Blackburn won, Banquet third, King Hazem third. Time, 1:43 1/2.

CHICAGO, July 23.—Cloudy weather; track fast.

Six furlongs—Koko won, Fremont second, Rouser third. Time, 1:16.

One mile—Lord Lonsdale won, Zeke Hardy second, Ira E. Bride third. Time, 1:43 1/2.

Six furlongs—Odrey won, Roi Dor second, Somerset third. Time, 1:15 1/2.

One mile and one-sixteenth—Ernest Race won, Brandollette second, Longshore third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

A Burning Vessel.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 23.—News was received this morning that the German ship Khersonese, which was reported as having put into Montevideo in a disabled condition, was afire in that harbor. She was bound from Dundee to San Francisco and was loaded with general merchandise for Girvin, Baldwin and Eyre. The dispatch states that the last accounts of the vessel are that she is still burning and will probably be a total loss.

Foreign Floods.

VIENNA, July 23.—The serious floods which have prevailed for some time past in Moravia and Silesia have caused enormous damage to farms and crops. Many bridges and roads have been swept away.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Werra arrived at New York to-day from Bremen.

Rev. Spurgeon of London is reported as being slightly better to-day.

Over a million pounds of gold from Portugal has been shipped to England within a week.

The steamers Trave, Fuerst and Bismarck arrived at Southampton to-day from New York.

Minister Lincoln presented the World's Fair Commissioners from Chicago to Lord Salisbury to-day, who received them cordially.

The Abdin Palace in Cairo caught fire to-day. In spite of every effort to obtain control of the flames, only a part of the building was saved.

A St. Louis dispatch says it is learned that J. N. Abbott has assigned to President Hill of the Great Northern and decided to tender his resignation.

The first bale of new hops was shipped from Roddan Brothers ranch near Wheatlands, Cal., to-day. The tunnel packing commences on August 10th. The crop looks fine.

Nebraska Republicans.

OMAHA, July 23.—Chairman Watson of the State Central Republican Committee announced that the Republican party will probably have a candidate for the gubernatorial chair in the field this fall, although the Supreme Court has decided that Thayer should hold over. Legal opinions are so varied on this point that it is decided best to be on the safe side. The Alliance and Democratic parties also have gubernatorial nominees on their tickets.

Justifiable Killing.

LOS ANGELES, July 23.—The jury in the case of Mason Bradfield for killing Joe Dye this morning gave a verdict of not guilty. The ground of the defense was Dye's murderous record and continued threats, causing the partial insanity of Bradfield.

Murder and Suicide.

ST. LOUIS, July 23.—George Anderson, a saloon keeper of East St. Louis, this afternoon shot and killed Dennis Ryan, another saloon keeper, and then blew out his own brains.

Money Market.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Money easy at 2 per cent; four coupon, seventeen Pacific sixes, nine.

Weather Report.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—Forecast, fair weather.

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5 O'CLOCK EDITION

American vs. English Novelists.

* Too much cannot be said upon the present existing importation laws on foreign literature in manuscript. Protection to American novelists' productions is badly needed in this country, when we take into consideration the fact that there are to-day on the market in New York City hundreds of novels written by English men and women of ample means, for the publication of which the authors themselves stand the entire expense simply for the satisfaction they receive in seeing their names appear on the title page as "Author."

No matter how creditable are the productions of the young American aspirants for literary fame, the scale of prices for their work is being daily depreciated by the manuscripts which are being foisted upon the market by these rich English writers. Although a large percentage of the work from the pens of these trans-Atlantic writers either from an instructive or an interesting point of view are beneath criticism, still they are permitted, through the complacency of grasping publishers and the laxity of our importation laws, as regards duty being imposed on foreign manuscript, to flood the market and by being published with an assured financial profit to the publisher, whether saleable, readable or otherwise, shut out of all possible competition the really meritorious work of needy American writers, and the prices for domestic literary work are forced down to so low a figure by these foreign "beasts" as to discourage the young struggling novelist of this country from attempting to enter the field in opposition to these publisher-fostering aristocrats. A reasonable degree of protection would at once shut out the greater number of this foreign MSS. and new life would be infused into the literary veins of hundreds of now unknown but talented American writers.

A BILL is pending before the German Parliament to create savings banks for old age. The idea is an excellent one, the means to its realization are amazing to simple Republicans in a land of free institutions. By this new measure if a workman deposits a given sum in the bank, his employer is compelled to deposit an equal amount to the credit of the employee. This summary method of disposing of men's property is refreshing for its coolness. Here, we think the man who pays the wages has some right to be consulted as to what shall be done with his own gains after he has faithfully discharged the contracted debt to the employee. But William has some odd ideas about human rights and indefeasible privileges, that the people under a Democratic form of government must not have the temerity to criticize.

The rottenness of the last California Legislature is being exposed in the Paylor suit against a number of State Legislators in San Francisco. The proceedings are a disgrace to California and everybody connected with them. When the press of that State want anything to abuse it need not look to poor little Nevada, for it can stir up a mess at home that will stink bad enough to suit the smell of the most depraved journalist in that blackened State. In Nevada's most corrupt days she never was so rotten, but now she is an angel as compared with California.

News from an Alaskan exploring party puts a new face on at least some of the interior of that little-known country. It speaks of fertile grassy plains, where bleak mountains were supposed to be, and climate, which, though severe in winter, is no worse than that of many advanced countries. The worst of this country seems to be that it is hard to get at. It may come into the market when Governor Gilpin's International Railroad is extended through British Columbia and Alaska.

CHINESE IRON.

Works of a Modern Character Soon to be Erected in China.
The Chinese wall was prohibitory of imported labor and foreign ideas. It was isolation on an imperial scale and a big patch of the planetary crust enclosed in a fence and made secure with a padlock. British cannon made a crack in the old barrier and the arts, sciences and industries of the outside world followed the redecoats into the Mongolian inclosure.

The yeast in the dough has been working ever since. Western civilization has insinuated an empire and the distillings of Confucius are coming under the headgear of European hatters. China is not now the stagnant pool of the past centuries. It is being permeated with new ideas and vivifying energies of alien descent are percolating through its institutions and industries. A shrewd, prudent and thrifty race are copying the figures of the western state and in commerce and enterprise are making radical and rapid advances. Iron and steel works on European plans are included in the new departure.

On the slope of the Hanyang hills opposite the native city of Hankow a series of works are in process of erection that promise to be completed and of considerable importance, says the Age of Steel. They will comprise two large blast furnaces of the Cleveland type, with the appurtenances, apparatus and machinery capable of producing about one hundred tons of pig iron daily. A complete Bessemer plant will be added, including two five-ton converters, with cupolas, casting cranes, blowing engines, etc. The specifications also include a large rail mill, with necessary machinery and apparatus.

A Siemens-Martin plant will complete the steel works. The iron department will include twenty puddling furnaces and a plate and bar mill. These works will cover twenty acres. A foreign technical staff has been secured, and in the course of a few months steel rails for Chinese railways, soft steel for ships' plates and special metals for small arms and a gun factory will be home productions.

These industries are initial, but preliminary, and circumstances favoring the supply of crude materials and native attitude, it is but a question of time when the Mongolian demand for foreign metal will be measured only by the limit of native supply.

TRUE TO HIS CHURCH.

A Dog That Wouldn't Change His Place of Sunday Resort.
"In Greenfield Meadows, Mass., about 1848," writes a correspondent of the Youth's Companion, "lived one Edwin Smead, a farmer, whose dog was as constant as his master in attendance at the old First Church. The meeting house contained a high pulpit, which was approached by winding stairs in front of the gallery containing the singers. When the congregation entered the church, the old dog, with the utmost gravity of manner, always climbed the pulpit stairs and composed himself for a nap."

"About 1851 alterations were made in the meeting house. The seats were turned around, a platform was erected at the other end of the church, and a modern desk was placed upon it. "When the day came for the reopening of the church the old dog walked in with the rest, and wearing an expression of deep disgust at the changed appearance of things, sought the stairs leading to the old pulpit, which, alas! had disappeared forever. He walked up one aisle and down the other, looking disturbed, and apparently aware that he was the object of suppressed merriment, until at last, hearing the voice of good old Dr. Chandler in the opening services, he reluctantly and shamefacedly mounted the modern platform and composed himself to sleep."

"Not long after this Mr. Smead died, and his farm was sold to Mr. Parmenter, a good Baptist deacon who attended his church in the village. "The dog, stuck to the farm, but did not take to the new religion. Every Sunday morning when the family started for church he was ready and trotted along by the side of the wagon until he came to the place where the road branched off toward the Congregational meeting house. At that point he parted company with the family and stood by his own creed."

"For some years longer the old dog was the most constant member of that society, never missing attendance upon the Sunday services, rain or shine, until his dog days were ended."

Infatuated Squirrels.
A Freetown (Ky.) man at a St. Louis hotel tells a remarkable story. He says that when he was about twenty years of age he was an ardent sportsman, and used to frequent the woods about his native village. One day he met a vast army of squirrels advancing steadily toward him, and he accidentally trod on one and killed it. The sight of their dead brother seemed to rouse the fighting blood in the squirrel, and they swarmed all over him, biting through his clothing and lacerating him terribly. He screamed with pain, and his dog, which was near by, came to his assistance, but before the faithful animal got within a dozen yards of its master it was set upon by the maddened squirrels and torn to pieces. At last the young man managed to break away, and escaped with his life, though he was confined to his bed for weeks.

The Elevator Is Old.
The elevator in buildings is not so modern an invention as many suppose. In the royal palace at Luxemburg, near Vienna, in 1777, was a machine by which the Empress Queen Mary Theresa, who was too unwieldy to go up and down stairs, was conveyed through a well from one story to another. The well or shaft extended from cellar to roof, and the elevator had three strings, which, when pulled, served as signals for "go up," "down" or "stop."

Four spinsters of O'Fallon, Mo., have become famous by the new patent on their joint residence. They could not agree on the colors, so they decided that each should have her favorite color on a portion of the house, and then they drew lots for the portions. The house is an artistic revelation.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Women.

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AT RENO, NEV.

FIRST DAY—Monday, Sept. 21st.

No. 1—Selling Purse, \$200, of which \$50 to

second, \$25 to third, for three-year-olds

and upwards; horses entered to be sold

for \$1,500 to which \$500 to second, \$250

to third; then one pound for each \$100 less

down to \$400; selling price to be stated

through entry box at 7 a. m. the day before the race; one mile.

No. 2—Running Stake, two-year-olds, five-

eighths of a mile; \$100 added; \$25 to

entrance, \$10 to first, \$5 to second, \$5 to

third.

No. 3—Running; purse \$200; 1-1/2 miles;

\$70 to second, \$30 to third.

SECOND DAY—Tuesday, Sept. 22d.

No. 4—Running; half mile and repeat;

Purse \$200, of which \$50 to second,

\$25 to third, \$25 to fourth, \$25 to fifth.

No. 5—Pacing; class 2:30; purse \$200, \$500 to

first, \$200 to second, \$100 to third.

No. 6—Trotting; class 2:40; district horses;

purse \$200; \$150 to first, \$100 to second,

\$50 to third.

THIRD DAY—Wednesday, Sept. 23d.

No. 7—Running; three-year-olds;

1-1/2 miles; \$250 added; entrance \$50,

forfeit \$10; second horse to save entrance

to second, \$100 to third.

No. 8—Running; seven-eighths of a mile;

purse \$200, of which \$70 to second, \$30 to

third.

No. 9—Trotting; class 2:35; purse \$200;

\$200 to first, \$100 to second, \$50 to third.

No. 10—Trotting; class 2:30; district horses;

purse \$200; \$150 to first, \$75 to second, \$25

to third.

FOURTH DAY—Thursday, Sept. 24th.

No. 11—Running; five-eighths of a mile;

purse \$200, of which \$50 to second,

\$25 to third, \$25 to fourth, \$25 to fifth.

No. 12—Running; seven-eighths of a mile;

district horses; purse \$200, of which \$50

to second.

No. 13—Trotting; class 2:32; purse \$200;

\$400 to first; \$150 to second, \$50 to third.

No. 14—Trotting; class 2:30; purse \$400;

\$240 to first, \$100 to second, \$50 to third.

FIFTH DAY—Friday, Sept. 25th.

No. 15—Running; two-year-olds;

seven-eighths of a mile; \$200 added; \$50

entrance, \$10 forfeit; second horse to

save entrance.

No. 16—Running; one mile; for three-year-

olds and upwards; purse \$200, of which

\$50 to second.

No. 17—Running; seven-eighths of a mile;

purse \$250, of which \$100 to second, \$50 to

third.

No. 18—Trotting; 2:18 class; purse \$1,000;

\$600 to first, \$200 to second, \$100 to third.

SIXTH DAY—Saturday, Sept. 26th.

No. 19—Running; five-eighths of a mile;

district horses; purse \$150, of which \$50

to second.

No. 20—Trotting; 2:40 class; purse \$200;

\$150 to first, \$100 to second, \$50 to third.

No. 21—Pacing; 2:35 class; purse \$200;

\$150 to first, \$100 to second, \$50 to third.

N. B.—Liberal purses have been reserved for special races, both trotting and running.

Remarks and Conditions.

Nominations and entries to all stakes must be made to the Secretary on or before the 23d day of August, 1891. Entries for the races must be made two days preceding the race, at the regular time for closing entries as designated by the rules. Those who have nominated stakes must appear to the Secretary in writing which they will start the day before the race, at six p. m. Horses entered in purses can only be drawn by consent of the Judges.

Entries to all trotting and pacing races will close September 5th, with the Secretary.

Five or more to enter and three or more to start in trotting races.

National Trotting Association Rules to govern trotting races. Pacific Coast Blood Horse Association Rules to govern running races.

All trotting and pacing races are the best three in five, unless otherwise specified; five to enter and three to start. But the board reserves the right to hold a less number than five to fill, by the withdrawal of a proportionate amount of the purse. Purses to be divided pro rata. Entrance fee, 10 percent, on purse, to accompany nominations.

National Association Rules to govern trotting, but the board reserves the right to trot heats of any two classes alternately, if necessary to finish any day's race, or to trot a special race between heats. A horse making a walk-over shall be entitled only

TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno.

ARRIVE	TRAIN	DEPART
10:10 a. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	10:20 p. m.
10:10 a. m.	No. 2, Eastbound Ex.	9:30 a. m.
4:25 p. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	4:30 p. m.
11:40 p. m.	No. 1, Westbound Ex.	11:50 p. m.

ARRIVE	TRAIN	DEPART
9:05 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	9:10 a. m.
9:05 p. m.	No. 2, N. P. Express.	9:10 a. m.
11:45 a. m.	No. 1, Local Passenger	11:45 p. m.
11:45 a. m.	No. 2, Local Passenger	11:45 p. m.

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSURE	ARRIVES
San Francisco and Sacramento (through points)	4:30	10:10
San Francisco, Sacramento and intermediate points	8:30	9:10
Ogden, all eastern points, 7 & T, and all southern points	8:30	9:05
San Francisco and all points north	12:00	11:30
Buffalo Meadows, Sheephead every Monday	12:00	11:30

JOTTINGS.

"Carving a chicken," remarked the police captain, "is like raiding opium dens; the main thing is to locate the joints." Stop at the Riverside Hotel if you would avoid joints.

In the vernacular—"Dr. Bridgman has deserted the Baptists." "Yes he's got in out of the wet at last." "So would anyone who went to J. J. Becker's for a hot lunch with 'trimmings'."

A—Is land dear in Italy? B—"No; but the ground rents are awful." "What's the cause of that?" "Earthquakes." Call upon C. A. Thurston for the latest news from the land of the macaroni.

"I'll copper on your tray," said the gambler as he slipped in a penny on the contribution plate. Richard Herz will give you full satisfaction for your copper in exchange for his elegant line of jewelry.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michaela Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her condition suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. She bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as ever—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Wm. Pinniger's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and 25c.

Happy Mothers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman of same place, says: "I find Electric Bitter to be the best Liver and Kidney medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies. I found new strength, good appetite and felt just like a new man." Sold for 25 cents a box at S. J. Hodgkinson.

Spring Fever.

At this season of the year the most vigorous and hearty people often have a feeling of weakness, tired and worn out, without ambition to do anything, and many break out in pimples and boils. What you require is a mild tonic medicine that will act gently on the liver and blood, and for this nothing equals Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. They give an activity to the liver, purify the blood and by the mild tonic action, new vitality and strength to the whole system. Sold for 25 cents a box at S. J. Hodgkinson.

A Suggestion.

If you are troubled with rheumatism or a lame back, allow us to suggest that you try the following simple remedy: Take a piece of flannel the size of the two hands, saturate it with Chamberlain's Pain-Balm and bind it on over the seat of pain. It will produce a pleasant warmth and relieve you of all pain. Many severe cases have been cured in this way. The Pain-Balm can be obtained from J. H. McCullough.

A Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture, like perspiration causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as blind, bleeding and protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy is sold free of charge. Druggists or mail; treatise free. Dr. Bosanko, Piquette, O. Sold by S. J. Hodgkinson.

Well Merited Praise.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one or more persons whose lives have been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who have been cured of chronic diarrhoea by it. Such persons take special pleasure in recommending it to others. The praise that follows the introduction and use makes it very popular. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. H. McCullough.

Baby cried,
Mother sighed,
Doctor prescribed: Castoria!

Certainities.

"The continual dropping of water wears away the stone." So continual headache wears away the brain forces. And it is equally as true that Cephalic line wears away headache, and that quickly. All druggists are agents.

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Diarrhoea, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give you immediate relief. Price 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker-Mouth. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

FOR DYSPPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

THE REV. GEORGE H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

RIDING A BRONCO.

Old Tootles Prefers a Sudden Death to Another Such Trial. "Ever heard how Tootles rode Johnson's bronco?" Bill Flagg asked me one day, says *Pigaro*. I told him I had not and he thereupon cleared his throat and launched into the following: "I knew that the little bronco was a regular fire-eater the minute I laid eyes on him. One of them quiet chaps, you know—stood with his head down and looked as if he didn't have a friend in the world. Innocent critter, he was! Why, I wouldn't trusted him no quicker'n I would an Indian: no, sir. But Toot—oh Lor! He had taken two or three smiles at Rattler's, an' he told me he could ride anything on hoofs—Old Nick included. Johnson was a great joker, an' he just nagged Toot on to ride that sorrel bronco. "Well, sir, maybe you won't believe it, but they had to tear down the barn around that bronco to get him out an' then it took every able-bodied man in Skytown to put a bridle on him. All the while they were gettin' the critter ready, Tootles was steadyin' himself against the barn. At last Johnson said, 'All aboard, Toot,' an' Toot walked right up to Mr. Bronco an' got on him, an' the boss never shook an ear or moved a muscle. But I'll be blamed if he didn't wink at me, that critter! Toot much as to say, 'You watch me, Bill Flagg, I'll fix him.' Then I said, 'Toot, I'd get off that piece of lightning if I were you. It don't look healthy.' But Toot said, 'Dry up, Bill Flagg. I rode broncos before you was born.' After that I didn't care a rap what became of Tootles. As I said before, that boss never moved an' I began to think he wa'n't goin' to. "He's petrified," said Johnson, touching him in the flank with a pitchfork. "But you bet he wasn't petrified by a long shot. When he moved he moved so quick we couldn't see him. Then he jumped in the air 'bout fifteen feet an' come down stiff-legged, ker-bang! After that there was a pause of about two seconds, when the bronco started all ways to once, an' left Toot everywhere. The last we saw of that bronco he was skeddaddlin' over the prairie like all possessed, an' we commenced picking up Tootles an' puttin' him together. When we had got enough of him in one pile to talk, he said: "Wh-wh-where am I?" "We told him. "Wh-wh-what did he do?" "We couldn't tell what the bronco did, 'cause he did it so quick we couldn't see him. "Say, Johnson, was you ever shook up by an earthquake?" "Can't say that I ever was," said Johnson. "Never had any buildin' fall down on you or anything like that, I don't suppose?" "Nope. "Then you don't know how I feel. Got any more critters like that one?" "A whole corral full. "Then Toot turned to me: "You hear that, Bill Flagg; he says he's got lots of 'em. If you ever see me tryin' to ride another one you just shoot me on the spot. I'd rather die that way than linger along. Now help me home."

RELIABLE REPORTERS.

The True One a Veritable Walking Phonograph. The *Sacramento News* has very very zealously taken up the cudgel in behalf of the long suffering, sore, maligned reporter, as follows: " * * * The true reporter, one worthy of the name, becomes a veritable walking phonograph, or, to speak more definitely, a kintograph. He has no more bias of feeling in regard to matters terrestrial than a machine— that is, while on duty. All of his sentiments, his emotions, his passions, likes and dislikes are subdued by the overmastering feeling of professional ambition to do the very best possible for his paper, and for himself. He is compelled to tell the truth. "There are those who think that a little dash of humor in an account of a meeting or a word of general comment in a report of a convention, constitutes what they call lying. "To such people there is nothing to be said. Let them suffer in their ignorance, and let them be mentioned by the reporters when they die."

Right You Are.

The *Walker Lake Bulletin* truly comments: "Within a few weeks a petition will be sent from Philadelphia that is five miles long. It says that he will deal kindly with his political prisoners. The *Czar* will probably never hear of the petition and will certainly never see it. Besides, it is quite likely that among the *Czar*'s advisers are gentlemen who know what very little value is ever properly attachable to petitions. When American officials themselves are so generally regardless of petitions from their fellow countrymen, what is to be expected of the *Czar*." The *Czar* himself is not a greater autocrat than are many of the little big-wigs of American politics.

A Complete Record.

The *WEEKLY GAZETTE* and *STOCKMAN* is published to-day and all that is required to convince any one that it is the best paper printed anywhere between San Francisco and Chicago is a careful reading of its contents. It contains all the week's news from every quarter of the globe; besides, fourteen columns of local news and six columns of editorial matter discussing every important question of the day. Subscription price, only \$2 per annum. It is better than a letter to a friend.

Something Wrong.

That there is something wrong in the "system" adopted in the census office is clear. The *GAZETTE* called Superintendent Porter's attention to the fact that he left Reno out entirely in Bulletin 87, and now comes a letter addressed to Enumerator Morton which reads as follows: Will you now please inform me whether the 1889 persons returned by you marked "Reno" should all be counted in the city of Reno, or do a portion of them belong in the outside of the city.

Hypnotizing Mashers.

Since Miller, the masher, has been released from durance via on \$1,000 bail, he has resumed his best before the Baldwin Hotel, powdered, pomaded and curled, and Carroll Cook, his attorney, says that he is going to have Miller hypnotized so that he will quit mashing. A good six-foot horse whip would prove the best magnetizer in the world for his complaint.

Another Bonanza Uncorried.

The *El Paso Tribune* is authority for the statement that a pot and chest containing some \$25,000 was recently unearthed by workmen in an old building in the City of Juarez. Following so closely on the Brazilian treasure trove, it does seem as though some of Reno's enterprising citizens might be able to dig up a few thousands, sufficient at least to pay for having the streets sprinkled on Sundays.

He'd Known Better.

"I want to contest my wife's will," said a countryman, breaking into a lawyer's office early Monday morning. "Is she dead?" inquired the lawyer, for want of something better to say. "You bet," uttered the visitor. "I wouldn't be contestin' it if she wasn't. You never knowed that woman, I guess." There's nothing like living with a woman to become thoroughly familiar with her little peculiarities.

Jack of All Trades.

"Dr. Saunders, who was formerly located at Cerrillos as a dentist, has been licensed to preach. The doctor is also a champion checker player," says the *El Paso Tribune*. The gentleman has the advantage of versatility beyond doubt.

Don't Fight.

A couple of young men in Carson, the *News* says, had a lively scrap over one of Carson's female beauties the other night. Don't fight boys, for there are just as good fish in the sea as ever were caught.

SAM JONES' CHARITIES.

Receiving With One Hand, Giving With the Other. The *Weekly Tribune* of El Paso says: "Sam Jones is said to average about \$3,000 a week for trying to save souls. There's a pointer in this for some of the fellows around here who are actually paying for the privilege of losing their souls." It might be well to add in this connection that the Georgia Evangelist has built and largely endowed at Cartersville, Ga., an Orphan Asylum where upwards of eighty little orphans, both white and colored, are taken care of until such time as they are able to shift for themselves; this orphanage alone takes \$1,200 every month out of the reverend gentleman's private pocket. In addition to this, there are now a number of young men in theological seminaries being educated at the expense of the Georgian preacher. His private charities would assume appalling figures in the eyes of many of our modern philanthropists and he is always ready to prove himself "a friend in need," hence it seems safe to say that money invested in Sam Jones is put out at compound interest.

Local and General Intelligence.

C. C. Powning is now President of the Reno Electric Light Co. Are you warm enough now? Yes, thanks, just a little too warm. The squaws at Poomix, A. T., have begun to wear shoes and stockings. The farmers are about through with the first crop of alfalfa and it is very heavy. Lester Armfield and Spencer Dingle were sunstruck at Woodland, Cal., Tuesday. Garden hose and lawn mowers at reduced rates for July at Lange & Schmidt's. Twenty-eight car loads of merchandise were shipped to Reno in one day last week. The fruit, grain and hay crops of this region will be the largest that has been put up here for years. Preparations are being made for a great exodus of Carson people about August 1st, to camp at the Lake. Go to John Belz's shop and take a bath in one of his elegant porcelain tubs and you will feel like a new man. Hon. William Thompson informs the *GAZETTE* that work will commence on the Reduction Works early next month. Young Bradley rode 73 miles around the Carson race track Tuesday, changing horses five times in a little over an hour. Five stacks of hay are being put up at Glendale and some of them are as large as the mosquitoes that infest that region. John F. Moody, the Truckee stage man, has recovered the use of his broken leg sufficiently to be out on the streets. Last evening the fire engine spent about two hours in emptying the cistern on Commercial Row, giving the heated atmosphere a decided freshening. There is a report that the soda works at Keeler are to change hands and be greatly extended. The industry could readily be made to assume vast proportions. The total overflow into the Colorado Desert is now estimated at about two thousand square miles, the greater part of which is across the line in old Mexico. The water continues to rise. John W. Mackay, it is stated, will return to Virginia shortly and assume the management of the Con. Cal. & Va. mining the absence of Superintendent Lyman, who is to take a vacation. The Colusa Livery Stable, at Marysville, Cal., was burned Tuesday night with 300 tons of hay, sixteen horses, a number of carriages, two stage coaches and two hearse. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. Weak and weary describes the condition of many people debilitated by the warm weather, disease or overwork. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine needed to build up and strengthen the body, purify and quicken the sluggish blood, and restore the lost appetite. Marie-Harry married that rich Miss Firetong. He made a great catch. Julia—Yes, from all accounts he has been catching it ever since. If you want to catch on all right with the boys, buy your cigars of Marcus Fredrick. He owns the world. Five carloads of horses, valued at \$10,000, were stolen from the ranch of A. L. Davis, in the vicinity of Riteville, Wash., on or about July 4th. The horses were shipped from Pampa, a small station on the Union Pacific, to Chicago by way of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. A novel method of beating the Post-office Department has been detected at Los Angeles. A young man rented a box, taking two keys, one of which he gave to a lady friend, and they exchanged letters through the box. The letters have been held for postage and one key has been taken up. Can't You Catch On. To a known means of overcoming that obstinate disorder, constipation? Of course you can. Then why don't you? Ask those who have tried it, and they will tell that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a matchless laxative, effective without violence—thoroughly alterative, but perfectly reliable. It invigorates, too, no less than it regulates the system, and is so easily taken that it is a quality that it owes the permanency of its effects. Since, if vigor is lacking in the region of the bowels, the stomach or the liver, healthful activity in those organs is impossible. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters in general are simply that and nothing more; they relax the bowels merely without irritating them, and as their laxative action is usually abrupt and violent, they tend to weaken the organs. Use the Bitters, also, for malaria, rheumatism, indigestion, debility and kidney trouble. For Over Fifty Years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, always all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

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PERSONALS.

Judge Talbot was a passenger east this morning. The family of Chas. F. Crocker are at Lake Tahoe. Hon. W. J. Westerfield of Dayton was here this morning. George A. Capen, representing Bradstreet's agency of Sacramento, is here to-day. A. S. Barney of Oakland, representing the American Investment Co., is in town to-day. Mrs. D. B. Lyman and son of Virginia were passengers for California on last night's train. The *Sacramento News* says Mrs. George A. Capen has gone to Reno to meet her husband, and together they will make a tour of the State. C. C. Wallace passed west last night with the remains of his wife. Dr. Thomas, C. C. Powning and M. D. Foley accompanied him from Reno. City Tidbits. The *Morning Appeal* says: "A Reno lawyer advertises for a lost copy of Blackstone. Better ascertain what Carson lawyers have been visiting Reno lately." The legal subscription list must have been delinquent in making its payments recently. Entitled to the Best. All are entitled to the best their money will buy, so every family should have at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constipated and bilious. For sale in 50c. and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

MARRIED.

SVIEKER—MAUTE—in Belmont, Nye Co., Nevada, July 15, 1891, by the Rev. William Ackroyd, Dr. Edward Henry Spieker, of Baltimore, Md., to Miss Adelaide Marie Maute, of Belmont, Nevada. GOLDEN—MORRIS—in San Francisco, July 20, 1891, Frank R. Golden, of Carson, to Miss Marie Morris, of Reno. PHILLIPS—LOFTUS—in Reno, Nev., July 22, 1891, J. H. Phillips, of Reno, to Miss Nellie Loftus, of San Francisco.

NEW TO-DAY.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT RENO, IN THE STATE OF NEVADA, at the close of business, July 9, 1891.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts, \$400,410.85	Capital stock paid in, \$300,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 21,530.78	Surplus fund, 73,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 50,000.00	Undivided profits, 41,255.56
Stocks, securities, claims, etc., 17,674.31	National Bank notes outstanding, 44,980.00
National deposits subject to check, 4,908.83	Individual deposits subject to check, 18,863.53
Due from State Banks and bankers, 12,842.99	Demand certificates of deposit, 34,919.39
Banking house, furniture and fixtures, 4,500.00	Certified checks outstanding, 150.00
Current expenses and taxes paid, 7,521.15	Cashier's checks outstanding, 79.05
Premiums on U. S. Bonds, 3,860.00	Due to other National Banks, 310.57
Checks and other cash items, 150.00	Due to State Banks and bankers, 7,787.12
Bills of other banks, 150.00	
Fractional paper, currency, nickels and cents, 30.61	
Specie, 25,442.70	
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C. T. Bender, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. T. BENDER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of July, 1891.

H. L. FISH, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: A. H. MANNING, P. M. LEE, W. O. H. MARTIN, Directors.

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